

ORDER 837

FOREST DEVELOPMENT ROADS

OKANOGAN - WENATCHEE NATIONAL FOREST

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (b), the following acts are prohibited on National Forest System (NFS) Roads within the Naches District of the Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest as described below and shown on the attached map. The purpose of this order is for public safety.

(1) For the purpose of this order, use by any type of motorized vehicle is prohibited on Naches Ranger District roads listed in Exhibit A (36 CFR 261.54 (b)).

1. **Using any type of vehicle prohibited by the order.** For purpose of this order, it is prohibited to use any motorized vehicle on Wildcat Road No. 1306 beginning at mile post 1.0 (T15N, R13E, Sec 25). [36 CFR 261.54 (a)]

This restriction is effective the date signed below and will remain in effect until rescinded.

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

- (1) Persons with a permit or written authorization specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- (2) Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Done at Wenatchee, Washington this 4 day of December, 2013

for Gretchen Barkman
Michael L. Balboni
Forest Supervisor
Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest

Violations of these prohibitions are punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both. (16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559 and 3571).

Assessment of Need and Enforcement Plan

1. Background: This road segment was heavily damaged during the rain event September 5-6 and is being closed to provide public safety. The road has been posted as closed and barricaded.
2. Intent of Closure Order: To eliminate public vehicle travel on the roads damaged by the rain event. The order shall remain in effect until no longer needed.
3. Enforcement Plan. The following activities need to occur to implement this special order in a manner that results in public acceptance and safety:

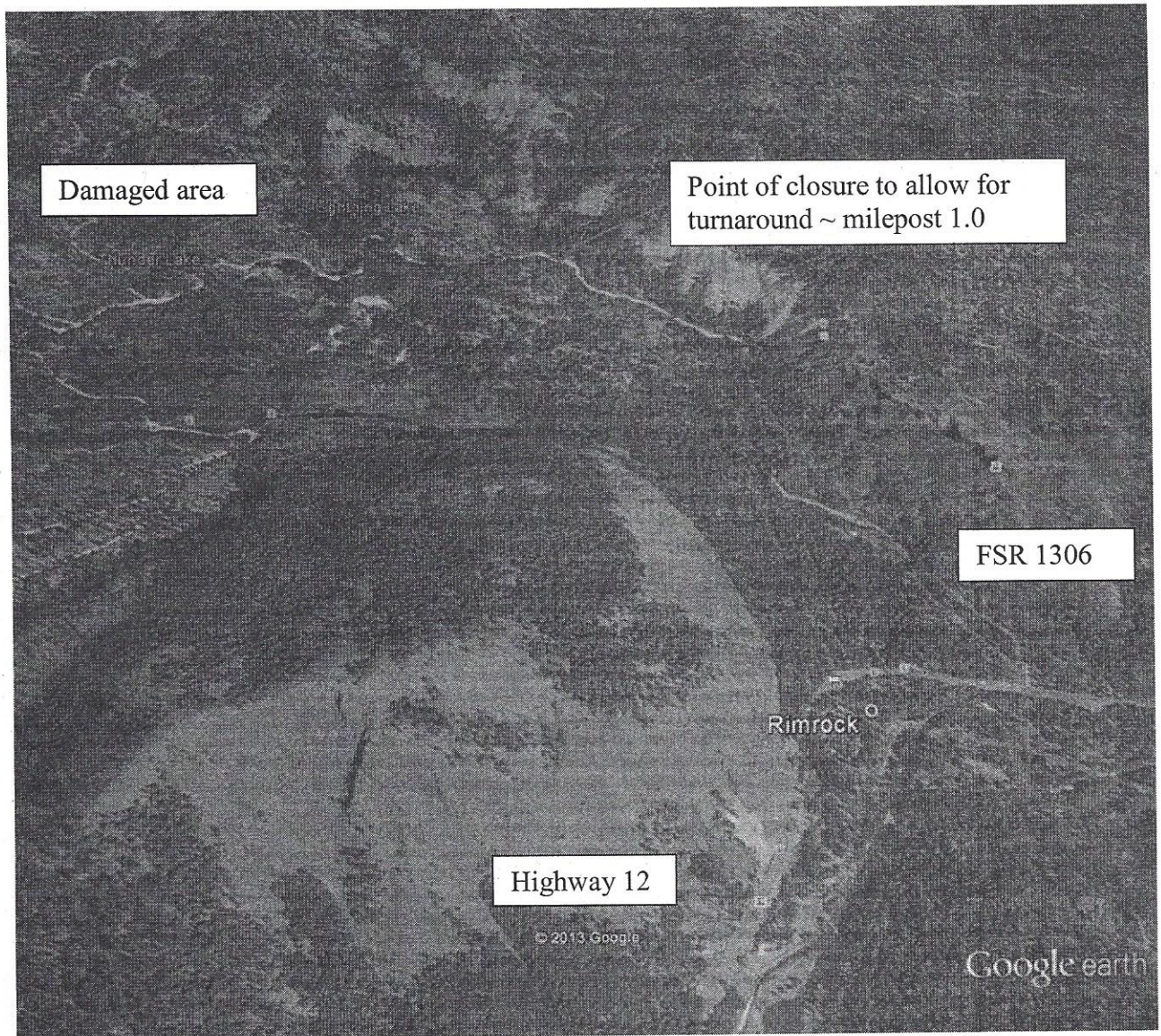
<u>Action</u>	<u>Responsible Official</u>	<u>Date</u>
Prepare proposed order	Marjorie Hutchinson, Zone Engineer	Nov 2013
District review of proposed order	District Ranger Irene Davidson	Nov 2013
LEO Review proposed order	Robert Moelder/Blair Bickel, LEO	Nov 2013
Approve proposed order	Mike Balboni, Forest Supervisor	Nov 2013
Post order in accordance with 36 CFR 261.51	Ken Guillory, Roads Supervisor	Nov 2013
Prepare news release for local media describing the order and management objectives	District PAO, after review by Naches District Ranger	Nov 2013
Describe implementation/action taken for order, such as planned patrols, enforcement strategies, tolerance, contacts to local public agencies. Implement plan.	Post signs indicating the roads are closed. Periodic patrols by FPOs/LEO to enforce prohibitions.	Nov 2013

Enforcement Plan approved for implementation:

for Michael L. Balboni
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FOREST SUPERVISOR
OKANOGAN-WENATCHEE NF

Dec 4 2013
DATE

FSR 1306 – Wildcat Closure Map



Forsberg, Naomi A -FS

From: Davidson, Irene L -FS
Sent: Tuesday, November 12, 2013 8:00 AM
To: Forsberg, Naomi A -FS; Bickel, Blair H -FS
Subject: FW: Closure order for 1306 - Wildcat
Attachments: 1306 CLOSURE ORDER 2013.docx

I concur



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Cc: Beidl, Jacqueline A -FS; Bailey, James W -FS; Sims, Julius B -FS; Starkovich, Michael T -FS; Leingang, Jodi L -FS; Voelker, Francisca L -FS
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I have attached the proposed closure order for the 1306 – Wildcat. Please let me know if you have any concerns. marge

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Forsberg, Naomi A -FS

From: Moelder, Robert -FS
Sent: Tuesday, November 12, 2013 2:09 PM
To: Forsberg, Naomi A -FS
Subject: RE: Closure order for 1306 - Wildcat

I concur

From: Forsberg, Naomi A -FS
Sent: Tuesday, November 12, 2013 9:23 AM
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Moe, your concurrence on this one also. Thanks.

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